(2) NONRESIDENTIAL.

- (B) AT-RISK YOUTH PREVENTION AND DIVERSION PROGRAMS SHALL BE COORDINATED, MONITORED, AND SUPPORTED BY LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARDS.
- (B) (C) A LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARD SHALL APPLY TO THE COORDINATING COUNCIL GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR CHILDREN FOR FUNDS FOR LOCAL AT RISK YOUTH DELINQUENCY PREVENTION AND DIVERSION PROGRAMS FUNDING FOR THE AT-RISK YOUTH PREVENTION AND DIVERSION PROGRAM.
- (C) (D) BEFORE SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION TO THE COORDINATING COUNCIL GOVERNOR'S OFFICE FOR CHILDREN, THE LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARD SHALL CONVENE DEMONSTRATE THAT THE LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARD HAS CONVENED A LOCAL PLANNING GROUP CONSISTING OF PARENTS, YOUTH, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGENCIES THAT HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF AND EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH AT-RISK YOUTH AND FAMILIES.
- (D) (E) THE LOCAL PLANNING CROUP MANAGEMENT BOARD SHALL. AS PART OF THE PREVENTION ELEMENT OF THE 3-YEAR PLAN:
- (1) ASSESS THE ADEQUACY, AVAILABILITY, AND ACCESSIBILITY OF CURRENT COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES THAT:
- (I) PREVENT AND DIVERT ENTRY AND REENTRY INTO THE JUVENILE SYSTEM;
- (II) PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES TO INCARCERATION AND INSTITUTIONALIZATION;
 - (III) PREVENT AND DIVERT CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR; AND
- (IV) INCREASE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY AND SELF–SUFFICIENCY;
- (2) IDENTIFY UNSERVED NEIGHBORHOODS OR COMMUNITIES WITH CRITICAL NEEDS AND SIGNIFICANT NUMBERS OF AT–RISK OR DELINQUENT YOUTH; AND
- (3) RECOMMEND PROGRAMS THAT CAN BE ESTABLISHED OR ENHANCED TO ADDRESS THE UNMET NEEDS OF YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES.
 - (E) (F) THE LOCAL MANAGEMENT BOARD SHALL:
- (1) DEVELOP A REQUEST FOR FUNDS BASED ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LOCAL PLANNING GROUP;
- (2) AWARD FUNDS TO LOCAL AGENCIES OR ORGANIZATIONS TO PROVIDE DIRECT SERVICES;
- (3) MONITOR AND EVALUATE <u>AT-RISK YOUTH PREVENTION AND DIVERSION PROGRAM PERFORMANCE</u>;
- (4) PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL <u>AT-RISK YOUTH</u> <u>PREVENTION AND DIVERSION</u> PROGRAMS AS NEEDED;